LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2002,** upon the application of **OCEAN ENERGY, INC.**

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Cotton Valley Zone**, **Reservoir A**, in the Cadeville Field, Ouachita Parish, Louisiana.

- 1. To authorize Ocean Energy, Inc. to drill, designate and utilize its Green No. 1 Well as a substitute unit well at an exceptional location for CV RA SUA as shown on the plat submitted with the application.
- 2. To establish that the location of the Green No. 1 Well is the optimum location within CV RA SUA to enable hydrocarbons to be recovered from such unit that cannot be recovered from any other well locate on the unit.
- 3. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A, in the Cadeville Field, Ouachita Parish, Louisiana, was initially defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 356-C, effective on and after February 16, 1982, and was redefined in Office of Conservation Order No. 356-C-2, effective on and after May 18, 1983.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Monroe**, Louisiana or may be found at the following site:

www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

JAMES H. WELSH
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La 11/4/02;11/7/02 M dpe

IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION - ENGINEERING DIVISION ATP. O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN FIVE (5) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.